

1 PASSWORD GENERATION AND VERIFICATION SYSTEM

2 AND METHOD THEREFORE

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4 Abstract of the Disclosure

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6 A system and method for facilitating password control and
7 maintenance is provided. A system 10 is provided where a
8 plurality of categories are set so that a single piece or
9 multiple pieces of information that are familiar to the user can
10 be set as a password element(s) for each category. Each sampled
11 password element that is grouped according to each category that
12 is randomly sampled from said categories is displayed, in random
13 order, together with a plurality of scramble elements, on a
14 display device 17. Of those displayed, the user chooses selected
15 password elements that are familiar to him. If all of the
16 selected password elements match the preset sampled password
17 elements, authentication is issued to the user.